

## RETURNS FROM PRISON, ATTACKS GIRL HE WOODED

Joe Carter, Scorned by His Former Brooklyn Sweet-heart, Assaults Her.

### NOW UNDER ARREST.

Detectives Say He Has Just Served Fifteen-Year Sentence.

"Men, I want you to remove your hands and look at this man," said Capt. McCauley to his staff of detectives at Brooklyn Headquarters to-day. After the sleuths had removed their black face coverings the captain told them to take a good look and remember the man.

"He is Joseph Carter, a bad gun man, who won't hesitate to shoot if cornered at his crime. He completed fifteen years at Dannemora seven months ago. I want you to arrest him every time you find him in Brooklyn. We'll at least hold him until the courts release him. We must keep him out of Brooklyn."

Carter at this point protested tearfully that he was living straight and that there was no reason for molesting him.

"You ought to be plucked on general principles," replied McCauley. Then it developed that the Brooklyn detective bureau was enlisted in the efficient task of protecting a woman whose identity was to remain secret. Before Carter was sent up the river he had made love to a girl who did not know his occupation. On being released recently Carter made at once for Brooklyn and was observed occasionally by off-duty detectives who knew him as a burglar. What he was after was not known until it was learned that after searching the recently found the woman he was looking for, the former girl he wooed.

He walked in on her and demanded to be taken back into her affections. She repelled him, but did not raise an alarm, fearing the scandal she would bring down on herself. She had become engaged to marry a honest man and told Carter, who attacked her, escaping after the assault. The police were quickly notified and they nabbed the ex-convict to-day. He was arraigned in Adams Street Court as a vagrant and sent to Raymond Street Jail for further examination Monday.

## FAMILIES DRIVEN INTO STREET BY INCENDIARY FIRE

Flames Discovered in Three Places in Hallways of Apartment-House.

In an effort to destroy the big five-story apartment-house at No. 19 West One Hundred and Eighteenth street to-day an incendiary kindled three fires in the hallways at the same time, so arranging all of them that had they not been discovered in time many of the members of the fifteen families in the house would have lost their lives. As it was, they had difficulty in fleeing to the streets through the burning hallways.

The fire was discovered by Mrs. B. Harbatter, wife of a contractor, who lives on the top floor front. Mrs. Harbatter was attending to the wants of a sick child when she saw flames through a crack in a door leading out into the hall. Opening the door, she was met by a burst of flame. Her cries awakened her husband, and with pale faces they hurried to the scene of the fire. The second fire was put out after it had attacked the woodwork.

Mr. Harbatter had hardly got this fire out before there came a tongue of flame shooting up from the floor below. The second fire was put out after it had attacked the woodwork. Then came a cry of "Fire!" from the third floor. Like the two others, it had been started with oil-soaked paper, and had gained much headway before it was discovered. The discovery of the third fire sent the tenants scampering to the street, many of them running a gauntlet of flame as they made their way past the third floor.

Before Mr. Harbatter got this last fire under control by a free use of water, it had climbed up the stairway well to the fourth floor.

The police of the East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street station were notified, and hurried to the scene of the fire. They came the Fire Marshal and detectives.

A close watch was set on the building, on the theory that the fire had been started by a maniac who would probably return to again attempt destruction. The apartment-house is owned by a man named Cohen.

### REWARD FOR FIRE HEROES.

Remington Concerns Sends Check for \$1,000 to Relief Fund.

Fire Commissioner Lantry to-day received a check for \$1,000 for the Fire Department relief fund and a congratulatory letter from Thomas F. McChlain, vice-president and manager of the Remington Typewriter concern at Broadway and Worth street.

The letter eulogized the heroic conduct of the firemen who fought the blaze in the Remington cellar on Monday, when fifty men were overcome and carried out unconscious.

## MRS. VAN SCHAICK GETS DIVORCE ON SLEUTH'S STORY

Obliging Detective Tells How He Trained the Doctor.

Mrs. Nadine Van Schaick, a handsome young woman, supported by two other handsome women, secured an interlocutory decree of absolute divorce from Justice Dowling, in the Supreme Court to-day, from Dr. George G. Van Schaick, of No. 23 West Thirty-seventh street.

Dr. Van Schaick has an office at No. 100 Broadway. He did not appear in defense.

Harry Wolfe, a stenographer, of No. 127, Seventh avenue, and his young friend, Harry Brown, of No. 49 Third street, Brooklyn, told on the witness stand how, to oblige Mrs. Van Schaick, they shadowed the doctor from his downtown office to a station on the elevated railway, when he met a strange woman, with whom he went to the Hotel Van Twiller.

Wolfe testified:

"Dr. Van Schaick is about 5 feet 5 inches in height, slightly bald, gloomy, a little and is smooth shaven. The lady whom he met on the 'L' station on Nov. 14 last was a tall woman about 5 feet 8 inches and very stout. At the hotel he registered 'G. S. Van Schaick and wife,' but it was not this lady."

The Van Schaicks were married April 29, 1897, but have lived apart for the past three years.

## GIRL CHOKED TO DEATH BY PIECE OF MEAT

Helpless Brother Forced to Look on Struggles of Dying Sister.

With a crippled and helpless brother looking on and unable to help her, Molly Aronson, twelve years old, choked to death by a piece of meat in her throat to-day. She was not dead when her plight was discovered, but delay in summoning competent relief proved fatal.

Molly was one of the two children of Sarah Aronson, an widow who keeps a little stand in the chicken market and is away from home most of the day. A son, Jacob, fourteen years old, is bedridden. It was the custom of Mrs. Aronson to leave him alone in the house, while Molly was at school, but to-day he felt more ill than usual and the girl remained at home to care for him. She prepared a meal at noon and was eating it when a piece of meat became lodged in her throat. The boy watched her from his couch as she struggled and finally fell unconscious. Within a short time a neighbor happened in and found the little girl on the floor, black in the face.

She called other women, and none of them, strangely enough, appeared to realize what the trouble was. After a long delay one beckoned herself to summon a policeman. It was too late.

### Strictly Practical.

(From the Baltimore American.)

"Are you making any preparations in your family for the celebration of the Fourth?"

"Oh, yes! I have engaged an automobile to take us without delay to the hospital and my wife is reading up on what to do until the doctor arrives."

### The Effects of Opiates.

THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotic, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous dyspepsia and lack of staying powers are a result of dosing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable.

The administration of Anodynes, Drops, Cordials, Soothing Syrups and other narcotics to children by any but a physician cannot be too strongly decried, and the druggist should not be a party to it. Children who are ill need the attention of a physician, and it is nothing less than a crime to dose them willfully with narcotics.

Castoria contains no narcotics if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

## M'CARREN MAN PUT ON RAPID TRANSIT BOARD

Hurley Takes Place Left Vacant by Ledyard's Resignation.

Hurley is forty-five years old and counts himself among the self-made men of Brooklyn. He lives with his family at No. 36 Jefferson avenue. Early in his career he began taking an active part in politics, particularly in his home Assembly district, the Fourth. He has had the confidence of Senator McCarran for many years, and it is generally understood that McCarran was his sponsor in his selection to succeed Mr. Ledyard.

In 1895 Hurley was chosen to succeed William Batterman as candidate for the State Senate from his district, but the canvass was unsuccessful. He began life as a marketman, and in his business he was highly successful. He had an establishment in the Wallabout Market for many years, and was one of the first to see the injustice of subletting

market stands from big leaseholders. He opened a crusade against them, and finally carried the fight to the Legislature at Albany, where he won a victory.

Hurley organized the Marketmen's Association and was chosen President. He finally engaged in the flour business, in which he accumulated a large fortune. He is a member of the Produce Exchange and a trustee of the Lincoln and Bushwick Clubs. He is Vice-President of the Borough Bank, of Brooklyn, and a director in several trust companies.

In 1883 Hurley began a sensational suit against his uncle, William Mice, whom he accused of legally taking possession of a large amount of property on the death of his father. After several years of litigation the case was settled. Hurley demanded \$20,000 and it is said that the settlement included a large share of this amount. If the action was dishonest Hurley's uncle was indicted on a perjury charge.

### DIED OF HIS INJURIES.

George Southway Was Run Down by a Truck.

George Southway, eighty-five years old, of No. 329 Grier avenue, Elizabeth, who was knocked down by a truck belonging to the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company in Newark late Wednesday night, died at his home last night.

The driver, Stephen Blanev, was placed under arrest and held to await the result of the coroner's investigation.

## BACKACHE AND DESPONDENCY

Are both symptoms of organic derangement, and nature's warning to women of a trouble which will sooner or later declare itself.

How often do we hear women say, "It seems as though my back would break." Yet they continue to drag along and suffer with aches in the small of the back, pain low down in the side, dragging sensations, nervousness and no ambition.

They do not realize that the back is the main-spring of woman's organism and quickly indicates by aching a diseased condition of the feminine organs or kidneys, and that aches and pains will continue until the cause is removed.

### Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

made from native roots and herbs has been for many years the most successful remedy in such cases. No other medicine has such a record of cures of feminine ills.

Miss Lena Nagel, of 117 Morgan St., Buffalo, N. Y., writes:—"I was completely worn out and on the verge of nervous prostration. My back ached all the time. I had dreadful periods of pain, was subject to fits of crying and extreme nervousness, and was always weak and tired. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound completely cured me."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cures Female Complaints, such as Backache, Falling and Displacements, and all Organic Diseases. Dissolves and expels Tumors at an early stage. It strengthens and tones the stomach. Cures Headache and indigestion and invigorates the whole feminine system.

### Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free.



MISS LENA NAGEL

## Vogel Brothers 42nd Str. At 8th Ave

THIS GREAT AND VARIED COLLECTION OF MEN'S NEW SUITS AT \$12.50 TO \$35 ENABLES EVERY MAN TO GET THE RIGHT SUIT AT THE RIGHT PRICE.

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The serges that enter these suits are well worthy of a word of praise. They are woven of hard twisted yarns, are soft, feeling and absolutely pure dyed. For these reasons they will undergo the severest service without giving evidence of the slightest wear, and will not fade under the brightest sun. Fairies of this stamp, tailored as we tailor our suits, cannot but result satisfactorily. Choose your serge suit from among these at \$16.50. You will agree with us when we say their equal is not to be found under \$20.

### Light & Medium Gray Worsted Suits, \$17

The man who wants a smart, stylishly tailored suit, without paying the high-price penalty demanded by the custom tailor, will find one here that is in every respect up to his highest expectations. These are garments that will appeal to all men, for in fit and grace and style they know no superior. The worsteds present a magnificent array of patterns—light grays in marvellously beautiful overplaids and checks and darker grays equally as fine. Special at \$17.

### Light Colored Velour Suits at \$18

Describe one of these suits at \$18 and you tell of the most advanced style of the season. The shapely shoulder, the long, graceful lapel, the various new cuff trimmings, the circular pockets and a hundred and one other new features, proclaim these suits the leaders of fashion. And down underneath, the parts you don't see, lies another feature of superiority. Painstaking tailoring insures good, long wear, just as surely as the beautiful fabrics and clever designing insure style. Special at \$18.

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Measured by quality, by style and by character, you will find that these \$20 suits equal the \$25 standard set by most shops. Perfection is reflected in every line, from the drape of the coat to the hang of the trousers. The man in search of individuality in a garment will find one to his liking here. The worsteds are of the highest order, soft to the touch and iron wearing. Every shade of gray is represented, from the lightest pearl to the darkest steel. Extraordinary value at \$20.

### Rich Dark Worsted Suits at \$25

In the fashioning of these suits at \$25 one thought has been ever uppermost—the production of an absolutely perfect garment. With this in mind, the finest worsteds that money could buy—both in texture and design—were selected. The tailoring was executed as thoroughly as the most skilled talent could accomplish it. The styling was of the highest order—exclusive and dignified. The result is awaiting you here—a gathering of suits at \$25 that knows of no superior at any price.

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### Big Men's Suits at

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